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IN THE CLAIMS:

- 1. (Amended) An improved piezoelectric (PZT) force motor, comprising:
- a housing having opposing ends;
- a PZT element <u>concentrically</u> supported [relative] <u>about a portion of</u> the housing, <u>said PZT</u> <u>element being</u> operative to expand and contract the ends of the housing through the application of an electric signal; and
- a plurality of components <u>in series within the housing</u> exhibiting both positive and negative coefficients of thermal expansion which cooperate to cancel one another so as to reduce the overall temperature expansion coefficient of the motor.
- 4. (Amended) The improved piezoelectric force motor of claim [1] 3, wherein the second member is a cup.

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